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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
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For: GAMING MACHINE

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**PETITION TO EXTEND TIME FOR  
RESPONSE TO WITHIN THE FIRST EXTENDED MONTH**

MS Missing Parts  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

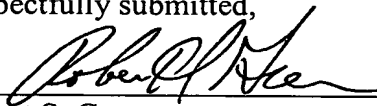
Applicants, through their attorneys, hereby petition to extend time for filing a response to Notice to file Missing Parts dated March 17, 2004, for one month to within the first extended month.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$110.00 to Deposit Account 18-0013 to cover the petition fee for other than a small entity for a one-month extension. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed for that purpose.

Dated: May 26, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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